# **ROAD BUYING** MOVEMENT IN MONEY CENTER

md prices broke severely.

The stock market today was a thether or not the outside public taking more interest in the proings is a matter on which opin-But there is no disputing that the chief initiative is oming from the various pools ormed to advance their pet stocks. there was difference between pose pool operations today and mose previously it was that they For each individual move here was an explanation, already familiar to leaders of the financial three years, and second, the confidence growing daily that the business of the country has now fairly entered the next slage of recovery ollowing the full of the winter. This confidence explains the mar

let's indifference to the melancholy showing in most 1921 reports. again, today this was exemplified in several instances. Worthington Pump reported its surplus of \$4. Amer. Shipbldg .. 95 625,000 at the close of 1920, cnt as Armour & Co. pfd. 98 the result of inventory write-offs to \$2,516,000 at the end of 1921. Yet Worthington Pump stocks went Booth Fish's pfd. 36 higher Chandler Motors reported Cudahy . . . . . . 678 14 cents a share earned on its C'm'nw'ith Edis'n 120 stock as against \$15 the pre-vious year, bu; this, too, was virtually unnoticed. Illustrating the Crane Co., pfd. .. 105 market's predisposition to empha- Deere & Co., pfd., 72 size good news, Studebaker stock Diamond Match. . 109 vas bid up sharply in anticipation of a remarkable showing to be made in the annual report tomor-row not only as regards the results of last year, but as concerns the Hartman .....100

atlook for the 1922 business. For the very sharp break in Inland Steel .... wheat—at one time the May option Libby-McNeil ... 35
was down 7 cents a bushel on the Midw'st prior lien 90 day and within 13 cents from its Midwat Util. meent high-there was no expla- Midw'st Util., pfd. 65 ation except that the foreign ex- Mintgomery-Ward 15 prt orders had temporarily slack- Nat Leather, old. 2 med and that there was not suffi- Nat Leather, new 10-dipping away, were hurriedly try-ing to get out. It has been appar-Sears-Roebuck at for the last week that the grain Sears-Roebuck of 95 inde had overdone things in its Stewart-Warner. spring wheat crop and that even Swift & Co. . 107% spring wheat crop and that even Swift Intl . . . 23 the reduction in the farm surplus Standard Gas pf 43 of nearly 100,000,000 bushels as Thompson (J.R). 42 ompared with a year ago is not Temptor Corn A stough to make up for the under- Union Carbide &

Many Artists in Cast of 'Forever'



Whoe Feed in the Paramount Picture REVER \* A George Fitzmaurice Production

many months is "Forever." a erge Pitzmaurice production for Framount, starring Elsie Ferguon and Wallace Reid, which will featured at the Fort Armstrong teatre for four days starting Sun-Headed by the stars named, the

ast in this photoplay is the most aposing ever gathered for a Parount picture with the possible ception of "A Fool's Paradise." liott Dexter. Montagu Love. orge Fawcett and Paul McAllisplay the principal supporting the roles. The two feminine erts, next in importance to the Ouchess of Towers," which is s Ferguson's role, are played by

half dozen or more youngsters seen in the first part of the pic-Little Gogo Pasquier, who up to be "Peter Ilbetson," ed by Charles Eaton, eight Nell Buck, an eightd edition of Elsie Ferguson, msi," the little girl who bethe "Duchess of Towers"

in the story. pening scenes for the picwere filmed in a most artistic a French garden at Passy. irb of Paris. All four seasons Year are shown in the garopening with springtime.

# WALL STREET FEATURES

STUDEBAKER. New York, March 9 .- The spurt

in Studebaker today was the result of buying by people who had some knowledge of what the annual report, to be made public tomorrow, will show. From the action of Sta-New York, March 9.—Further resident in the call money renewal sider that those working for a resident to a new high record, as start and went to a new high record, as reason for the recent advance are sent to a new high record, as share on the common after the resource of the recent advance appearing in the treasury offer to propose of all kinds including presents of the common after the resource of the recent advance appearing in the treasury offer to proposite to that which Studebaker are deducted. The speculative public. There seems to be no doubt, how-bit speculative public. There seems to be no doubt, how-bit shows the secretary of the treasury was in the exchange for a new issue bearing the same rate but running four to a new high record, a share on the common after the reason for the recent advance appearing in the treasury offer to a new high record, as share on the common after the reason for the recent advance appearing in the treasury of the research to the odoubt, how-bit sides that those working for a re-cumulation has been going on in the holdings which were distributed at much higher prices a year or same rate but running four the exchange for a new issue bearing the holdings which were distributed at much higher prices a year or same rate but running four the first the holdings which were distributed at much higher prices a year or same rate but running four the holdings which were distributed at much higher prices a year or same rate but running four the holdings which were distributed at much higher prices a year or same rate but running four the holdings which were distributed at much higher prices a year or same rate but running four the holdings which were distributed at much higher prices are common the exchange for a new issue bearing the same rate but running four the holdings which were distributed at much higher prices a year or same rate but running four the character in the holdings which were distributed at much higher prices a year or same rate but running four the character in the pearing in the treasury offer to pear to p pryear issue of certificates bear- pany sold 66,000 cars in 1921 and net profit after taxes, depreciation pany sold 66,000 cars in 1921 and net profit after taxes, depreciation that the same rate. Sterling extended that the record for the first quarter of this year will be 25,000 cars for compared with over \$15 a share in the wheat market the favorable statistics of farm reserves appeared to have spent their good effect, apital is in the neighborhood of cars sold in the first quarter of the prices broke severely.

Dahy sold 66,000 cars in 1921 and net profit after taxes, depreciation and inventory adjustment was equal to 14 cents a share, which the year. Studebaker has over \$8, 1920. However, Chandler has worked out of its depression and capital is in the neighborhood of cars sold in the first quarter of \$29,000,000. Taking the figures in 1922 are about twice the number that the record for the first quarter that the record for the first quarter to 1920. However, which the year. Studebaker has over \$8, 1920. However, Chandler has to have spent their good effect, apital is in the neighborhood of cars sold in the first quarter of \$29,000,000. Taking the figures in 1922 are about twice the number that the record for the first quarter that the record for the first quarter to 1920. However, Chandler of \$29,000,000. Taking the figures in 1922 are about twice the number that the record for the first quarter that the record for the first quarter to 1920. However, Chandler of \$29,000,000 are for the year. the annual report the book value sold all during 1921. Chandler diplicate of that of the day before. of Studebaker common is put at rectors this week declared the regaround \$125 a share. The above ular dividend and it was before the figures are basis enough for ru- meeting that this payment would mors that Studebaker directors may be earned in the month of March decide at the next dividend meeting alone. in April to declare an extra dividend which will put the common on

a \$12 basis. CRUDE OIL PRICES.

last year's bottom prices. Some is learned that the company is do-trade authorities are predicting a ing a much better business than 49½. shortage in oil later in the spring, for some time past.

Beaverboard .... 4

Hupp Motor .... 15

Carbon

Wahl

Wrigley

Yellow Mfg.

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Inited Lt & Ry. 41

United Paper Bd 13

United Iron Wks

Vesta Battery ...

Western Knitting

Wilson & Co ...

INDUSTRIAL ALCOHOL. Industrial Alcohol has always

MOTOR TRUCKS STOCKS. The coming to life of the Motor Truck stocks means only one thing and that is that the industry is on Some oil experts say that an in- the upgrade once more. This is crease in crude is coming around shown by the fact that the Bosch embraced a larger number of is- the latter part of the month. The Magneto company, which furnishes first increase these men expect to the truck companies with magbe 25 conts a barrel, with another netos, has been getting releases amiliar to leaders of the financial increase of an equal amount a few from the motor trucks concerns in clamps. But back of all were two weeks later. The big oil companies quantity. Despite the fact that some impulses, first the ability and some of the smaller indepenture is talk that the White comof speculative syndicates to borrow dents such as Cosden which have pany directors at their meeting to money on more favorable terms storage capacity have enough be held this week will take admin any obtainable in the last amounts of oil in storage bought at verse action on the dividend, it

### Chicago Stocks | New York Stocks

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			Atchison 9616				
			Baldwin Locomotive107				
			Baltimore & Ohio 371/4				
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	4.4		Central Leather 35%				
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	6077		Crucible Steel 571/2				
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#### Bond Market (Copyright, 1922.)

New York, March 9.—The bond been a mystery stock. It is one market today was very active and which has an unenviable record for generally strong, influenced by the inspired statements that were misinspired statements that were mis-leading and which led to serious loans from 4½ to 4½ per cent. losses by the speculative public. The Victory 4%s touched a new

One of the features of the day, however, was the remarkable rise in two of the junior railway issues—in the Ann Arbor 4s and the Peoria & Eastern first 4s and income bonds. The strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds. The strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds. The strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds, which was accompanied by the strength of these bonds. The strength of these bonds are strength of these bonds are strength of these bonds. The strength of these bonds are strength of the strength of these bonds are strength of the s the advance in their corresponding stocks, was due to special causes.

The street believes that Ann Arbor will be taken over by the Pere Hogs.

at \$2 to \$2.35 and also bulls, were easy, while bulk of veal calves steady; veal calves steady; veal calves steady; veal calves steady; packers bidding lower. Hog receipts, 23.000 lighter; weights active, 10 to 15c higher; Marquette and buying on this expectation explains the recent allowance of the 4 per cent bonds from around 60 to 65. With Peoria & heavy hogs were little changed. At a guestion of implication of the close of the trade values were sheep receipts, 17,000; fat sheep receipts, 17,000;

European government issues were still only moderately affected one time were down nearly a point, trade was slow. Best wool but the losses in the 1922s and in were placed at \$15.50 to point and Chinese 5s were weak, losing nearly two points, Philip-\$9.35. pine Railway fours rose a point to

In the industrial section, the features were the Goodyear 8s of 1041 which rose nearly two ponits, to a new high record; the Sinclair 7s which equalled their previous high and the Cuba Can Sugar 8s which got across 81. The advance in the Virginia Carolina Chemical 7½s continued touching 95.

Among the rails the Big Four 8mong the rai

of Manitoba, Canada, 5½ per cent homa, Arkansas and Texas. Some 20 year gold bonds at 102½ and in- of the low mining stocks also were libe. below above quotations. terest, yielding about 5.30 per cent. in good demand and held firm. The bonds are payable in gold coin | Irregular price changes took of the United States in New York place in the miscellaneous list. or at the option of the holders in Amalgamated Leather was in fair Canadian in Toronto or Winnipeg. demand and about unchanged. Another offering of about the same size was successfully disposed of have been firm recently were influ-lt was \$2,500,000 Woolworth Man-enced by realizing sales. Durant It was \$2,500,000 Woolworth Man enced by realizing sales. Durant ufacturing first mortgage 7 per cent Motor issues were lower, and Phil-fair stockers and feeders sinking fund gold bonds series Callin Morris also mentioned by the stockers of the stockers sinking fund gold bonds series C Hp Morris also went down. Gooddue in 1942 and sold at 9612 and interest yielding about 7.35 per cent.

	High.	Low.	Close
Lib. 31/28	.96.90	96.60	96.6
Lib. 2d 4s	97.30	*****	100000
Lib. 1st 41/48	97.38	97.16	97.3
Lib. 1st 414s, R.	97.04	8.8 W. St. St.	20.43
Lib. 2d 414s	97.40	97.20	97.2
Lib. 2d 414s, R.	97.20	97.16	97.2
Lib. 3rd 41/48	98.38	98.20	98.2
Lib. 3rd 44s. R.	98.04	40.00	1000
Lib. 4th 4148	97.50	97.36	97.4
Lib. 4th 414s, R.	97.30	97.22	97.3
Vic. 4%s	100.78	100.60	100.7
Vic. 4%s, R	100.58	100.56	100.5
Vic. 3%s			

#### CLARK WITHDRAWS NAME FROM RACE

(Special to The Argus.) Kewanee, March 9.—Will O. Clark of Geneseo, Republican candidate representative from the 37th district, today filed withdrawal from the race. Randolph Boyd of Galva, Republican, and Frank Morrisey of Sheffield, Democrat, are both seeking re-election.

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# HEAVY RUNS PUT **CATTLE QUOTES** AT LOW STAGE

Choice steers were steady. Small Chicago, March 9.—Cattle relots of yearlings made \$9.50, but ceipts 14,000; slow; strictly good

heavy hogs were little changed. At the close of the trade values were proved earnings, both present and prospective. The first 4 per cents at 76 were up to a new high of the trade values were little changed. At the close of the trade values were sheep receipts, 17,000; fat sheep again weak. A small lot of hogs and shearing lambs, steady; bid-sold at \$11.50, but top for full loads was \$11.45. Few rough packing no wooled fat lambs sold early; hogs went down to \$9.75, while choice fall shorn, 13.50; fat shorn are considered. good lots sold at \$10.40.

Sheep. Lambs were mostly 25c lower. by the reaction in the exchanges.

The United Kinkdom 5½s of 1929 at one time were down nearly a point, and the day were trade was slow. Best wool lambs day were: the French 71/2s were only trifling while choice shorn lots made \$13.50.

Cuban railway 5s came down a Aged muttons were about steady, one lot of 115 pound ewes going at

6s at 99, the New Haven 6s across issues when higher prices were established. The low priced shares solidated 4s, close to 74, and Seaboard Airline 6s up, half a point to 50, were interesting incidents.

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Goldwyn Pictures and other which year common and preferred, Central Teresa Sugar preferred, Unitstrong, the latter reaching a new high record for the present movement

continued in supply and de-Gilliland Oil and Atlantic Lobes

was easier, Standard Oil of In- 10.20 @ 10.60; bulk of Creek were firm but advances were smail.

# Dry Goods Market

1/2 cents, about 1/4 c below the nominal prevailing figure. Mills, how-ever, are loath to accept even the ifgher figure for anything but spot Narrow constructions delivery. were somewhat quieter. Sheetings were fairly firm as there was some demand in evidence from the Levant for 3-yard goods. Suit makers took some fine goods, but pajama checks, drills and sateens were

listless. Raw silk was quiet and about unchanged, reflecting the condition of the oriental primary centers Demand for broad silks was slight y better and knit, goods showed some activity.

WOOL.

Boston, March 9.—The wool mar-ket was firm and with a more set-tled tendency today and results of foreign sales indicated no marked changes in prospect. Manufacturers in some instances declare that while scarcity of some of the finer grades may continue, there will be requirements. The New York old clip pools have now been practic-ally cleaned up and the 1922 people is expected to cover a far greater poundage than that of 1921, which totalled 600,000 pounds. Bathing suit manufacturers and makers of sweaters are buying in small lots and hunting bargains.

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#### CHICAGO FUTURES

(By the Associated Press.)	fest Close,	Open	High.	Low	Close
Wheat-May		1.4216	1.43	1.35%	1.36
July		1.21	1.21%	1.17%	1.17%
Corn-May		6432	.65	.60	.6036
July		.67%	.68	.63%	.63%
Oats-May		.41%	.41%	.38	.39
July		.4314	.43%	.39%	.40%
Pork-May		20.40	20.40	20.00	20.00
Lard-May		11.45	11.45	11.30	11.33
July		11.62	11.67	11.45	11.5
Ribs-May		10.75	10.87	10.65	10.80
July		10.65	10.65	10.47	10.5

Live Stock

Chicago Livestock.

Hog receipts, 23,000 lighter weights active, 10 to 15c higher;

Bulk of sales

Heavy and mixed packing. Bough and heavy packing.

Medium weights . 10.70 @11.10 Light bacon. 160 @190 lbs. . 11.05 @11.30 Selected, 140 @155 lbs. . 11.05 @11.30 Light mixed, 145 @165 lbs. . 10.95 @11.20

Printer and the second

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT. No. 3 red, 1.37%. No. 2 hard, 1.354 @1.35%.

CORN. No. 2 mixed, 57@581/2. No. 4 mixed, 55@551/2. No. 2 yellow, 54 4 @ 59

OATS. No. 2 white, 38% @40%

Texas yearlings, 12.00; yearlings Rye, No. 2, 1.02%. and twos. 11.50; fat ewe top, early, 9.35; bulk early 8.00@8.75; good in Chicago yester

> Pork, nominal. ...\$10.80@11.20 .10.80@11.05 .10.95@11.25

> > Peoria Cash Grain.

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, March 9.—Cattle: Receipts 2,600; beef steers steady to 10c lower; top heavy calves steady to strong; best vealweak; fleshy feeders 8.00; plain to fair stockers 6.00@7.25; other classes generally steady; odd cows 6.00@6.25: most offered 4.50@5.50; tral Teresa Sugar preferred, United Profit sharing, Swift, International and R. J. Reynolds were choice extremely heavy bulls 4.25

Profit taking was comparatively Hogs: Receipts 5,500; very un-heavy in the oils. Kirby Petrol-even; generally steady to 15c lowcows 4.75, er than yesterday's average; bulk clined sharply and there was some 180 to 210 pound weights to ship-pressure against Maracaibo pers 10.50@10.80; top 10.90; 220 to 275 pounders to packers mostly sales diana, Mountain Producers and Sait 10.00 @ 10.75; packer top 10.70; throw-out sows 9.00@9.25; stock pigs unevenly lower; heavies up to 10.50; bulk plainer A 10. IMEDICIAL 10.

Chicago Potatoes.

kind 9.60@10.25

Chicago, March 9.—Potatoes dull; receipts, 40 cars; total United States shipments, 721 cars; Wis-New York, March 9 .- Trading in consin sacked round whites, 1.70@ the drygoods market today was 180 cwt; few fancy, 185 cwt; confined in general to small and poorly graded, 1.50@1.65 cwt; Min scattered orders. Inactivity still nesota sacked round whites, partly was noticeable in the wider print graded. 1.50@1.70 cwt; Idaho cloths. Buyers profess to believe sacked rurals mostly slightly froz that 3812 inch 64x50's are trending en, 1.75@1.80 cwt; Colorado sacked lower and may shortly be had at round whites, 1.80 cwt; Colorado sacked brown beauties, slightly frozen, 1.80 cwt.

#### Grain

Chicago, March 9.

No. 3 mixed, 55% @ 55%. No. 3 yellow, 55 1 @ 56 1.

No. 4 yellow 54@56. No. 2 white, 591/2. No. 3 white, 5714@58%. No. 4 white 57@571/2. Sample grade white, 53.

No. 3 white, 3512@38% No. 4 white, 35@35%. OTHER GRAINS.

Timothy seed, 5.00@7.00. Clover seed, 15.00@25.00. PROVISIONS.

Ribs, 10.75@12.25.

Cattle receipts, light; market firm; calf price, 10.00. New York Sugar.

firmer, unchanged.

Foreign Exchange. New York, March 9.- Foreign exchange, steady. Great Britain: demand, 4.36% cables, 4.361/2. France: demand, 9.01. Italy: demand, 5.11½. Belgium: demand, 8.49½. Germany: demand, .41.

Holland: demand, 37.80. Norway: demand, 18.08. Sweden: demand, 26.23 Denmark: demand, 21.08 Switzerland: demand, 19.42. Spain: demand, 15.75 Greece: demand, 4.58 Poland: demand, .02% Ozecho-Slovakia: demand, 1.63. Argentina: demand, 37.25 Brazil: demand, 14.25.

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# **WEAK TONE IN** WHEAT CAUSES **NERVOUS STATE**

Chicago, March 9.-Wheat devel-

oped a decidedly weak tone about midday, although it was apparent early that the support for wheat was purely local and would not be good enough should any selling of consequence develop. A higher op-ening was a foregone conclusion in view of the bullish government report. The bulge, however, was not up to expectation and there was some liquidation which carried prices off. July, however, was well supported and this delivery showed strength for a time, but it went down in the collapse with the rest of the market. The market was extremely nervous during the later trading, with fluctuations of a cent recorded in response to only moderate trading on either side of the market. The news was mixed. Receipts in the southwest smaller, but as an offset to this the wheat belt had a heavy snowfall and good rains were reported over most of Texas and parts of Oklahoma. Minneapolis millers reported a broader demand for flour. Local cash handlers reported a slight improvement in the milling demand for wheat. There was little news from the seaboard regarding export demand. Liverpool spot wheat closed unchanged to 1 pence lower and futures 21/4 pence to 21/2 pence higher. Buenos Aires opened 2160 higher. Argentine shipments are estimated at 4,995,000 bushels.

Corn was heavy almost from the start. Covering by shorts rallied the market, but there was corn for sale on the bulge and

Provisions were lower. Liquidation and stop loss selling featured the early trading. Weakness in Liverpool was a factor Eastern houses bought on the break.

New York, March 9.—Raw sugar, The wheat market closed weak, firm, 234c for Cubas, cost and to 57sc lower, May, 1.36 to 14. July, freight, equal to 3.86 for centrifu-gal; Porto Ricos, 3.76; refined, Corn closed 2% to 3% lower; May, 60% to 61: July, 63% to 64%. September, 66% to %. Oats closed 1% to 2% lower: May 39@%: July. 41 to 40%. September, 41% to %. Pork closed 70c lower, lard 17% to 20c lower and ribs 1712c lower.

#### Local Stocks

(Quotations furnished by A. G. Cochrane Co., 309 Best Bidg.) Bid. Asked Deere & Co. prfd. ......71

United Light & Railways 6 per cent debenture...88 93

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